

Chapter 3 • Introduction to Calculus

Review of Prerequisite Skills

2. e. The slope of line is

$$m = \frac{12 - 6}{4 - (-1)} \\ = \frac{6}{5}$$

The equation of the line is in the form

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1). \text{ The point is } (-1, 6) \text{ and } m = \frac{6}{5}.$$

The equation of the line is $y - 6 = \frac{6}{5}(x + 1)$ or $6x - 5y + 36 = 0$.

4. $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{3-x} & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \sqrt{3+x} & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

a. $f(-33) = 6$

b. $f(0) = \sqrt{3}$

c. $f(78) = 9$

6. b. $\frac{6 + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{6\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{6}}{3}$

d. $\frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{3 - \sqrt{3}} \\ = \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{9 - 3} \\ = \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{6}$

g. $\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3} + 4} \times \frac{2\sqrt{3} - 4}{2\sqrt{3} - 4} \\ = \frac{30 - 20\sqrt{3}}{12 - 16} \\ = \frac{30 - 20\sqrt{3}}{-4} \\ = \frac{10\sqrt{3} - 15}{2}$

7. b. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6 + \sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{3}{6\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{6}}$

c. $\frac{\sqrt{7} - 4}{5} \times \frac{\sqrt{7} + 4}{\sqrt{7} + 4} \\ = \frac{7 - 16}{5\sqrt{7} + 20} = \frac{-9}{5\sqrt{7} + 20}$

d. $\frac{2\sqrt{3} - 5}{3\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{2\sqrt{3} + 5}{2\sqrt{3} + 5} \\ = \frac{12 - 25}{6\sqrt{6} + 15\sqrt{2}} = \frac{-13}{6\sqrt{6} + 15\sqrt{2}}$

f. $\frac{2\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{7}}{5} \times \frac{2\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{7}} \\ = \frac{12 - 7}{10\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{7}} = \frac{5}{10\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{7}}$

8. h. $x^3 - 2x^2 + 3x - 6 = x^2(x - 2) + 3(x - 2) \\ = (x - 2)(x^2 + 3)$

i. $2x^3 - x^2 - 7x + 6 \\ f(1) = 2 - 1 - 7 + 6 \\ = 0$

Therefore, $x - 1$ is a factor.

By division, the other factor is $2x^2 + x - 6$.

Therefore, $2x^3 - x^2 - 7x + 6 = (x - 1)(2x^2 + x - 6) \\ = (x - 1)(2x - 3)(x + 2).$

9. j. $y = \frac{7}{x^2 - 3x - 4} \\ = \frac{7}{(x - 4)(x + 1)}$

The domain is $x \in R, x \neq 4, \text{ or } -1$.

k. $y = \frac{6x}{2x^2 - 5x - 3} \\ = \frac{6x}{(2x + 1)(x - 3)}$

The domain is $x \in R, x \neq -\frac{1}{2}, \text{ and } 3$.

Section 3.1

Investigation 1

- $y = x^2$
 a. $Q_1(3.5, 12.25)$ b. $Q_2(3.1, 9.61)$
 c. $Q_3(3.01, 9.0601)$ d. $Q_4(3.001, 9.006001)$
- Slope of secant $P(3, 9), Q_i$:
 $PQ_1 \rightarrow 6.5$
 $PQ_2 \rightarrow 6.1$
 $PQ_3 \rightarrow 6.01$
 $PQ_4 \rightarrow 6.001$
- a. $Q_5(2.5, 6.25)$ b. $Q_6(2.9, 8.41)$
 c. $Q_7(2.99, 8.9401)$ d. $Q_8(2.999, 8.994001)$
 $PQ_5 \rightarrow 5.5$
 $PQ_6 \rightarrow 5.9$
 $PQ_7 \rightarrow 5.99$
 $PQ_8 \rightarrow 5.999$
- Slope of the tangent at $P(3, 9)$ seems to be 6.

Investigation 2

- $P(1, 1), Q_i(1.5, f(1.5))$
 Slope $PQ_1 \rightarrow 2.5$
 Slope $PQ_2(1.1, f(1.1)) = 2.1$
 Slope $PQ_3(1.01, f(1.01)) = 2.01$
 Slope $PQ_4(1.001, f(1.001)) = 2.001$
 Slope $PQ_5(1.0001, f(1.0001)) = 2.0001$
- Slope of the tangent at $P(1, 1)$ is 2.

Investigation 3

- $P(3, 9), Q(3+h, (3+h)^2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Slope of PQ} &= \frac{(3+h)^2 - 9}{3+h-3} \\ &= \frac{9+6h+h^2-9}{h} \\ &= 6+h, \quad h \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

- Substitute $h = 0$ in the above slope.

Exercise 3.1

- b.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(5+h)^3 - 125}{h} &= \frac{(5+h-5)((5+h)^2 + 5(5+h) + 25)}{h} \\ &= \frac{h(75+15h+h^2)}{h} \\ &= 75+15h+h^2 \end{aligned}$$
- c.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(3+h)^4 - 81}{h} &= \frac{((3+h)^2 - 9)((3+h)^2 + 9)}{h} \\ &= \frac{(9+6h+h^2-9)(9+6h+h^2+9)}{h} \\ &= \frac{(6+h)(18+6h+h^2)}{h} \\ &= 108+54h+12h^2+h^3 \end{aligned}$$
- d.
$$\frac{\frac{1}{1+h} - 1}{h} = \frac{1-1-h}{h(1+h)} = -\frac{1}{1+h}$$
- e.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3(1+h)^2 - 3}{h} &= \frac{3((1+h)^2 - 1)}{h} \\ &= \frac{3(1+2h+h^2-1)}{h} \\ &= \frac{3(2h+h^2)}{h} \\ &= 6+3h \end{aligned}$$
- f.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(2+h)^3 - 8}{h} &= \frac{(2+h-2)((2+h)^2 + 2(2+h) + 4)}{h} \\ &= \frac{12+6h+h^2}{h} \end{aligned}$$
- g.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\frac{3}{4+h} - \frac{3}{4}}{h} &= \frac{\frac{12-12-3h}{4(4h)}}{h} \\ &= \frac{-3}{4(4+h)} \end{aligned}$$
- a.
$$\frac{\sqrt{16+h} - 4}{h} = \frac{16+h-16}{h(\sqrt{16+h}+4)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{16+h}+4}$$
- b.
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sqrt{h^2+5h+4} - 2}{h} &= \frac{h^2+5h+4-4}{h(\sqrt{h^2+5h+4}+2)} \\ &= \frac{h+5}{\sqrt{h^2+5h+4}+2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \frac{\sqrt{5+h}-\sqrt{5}}{h} &= \frac{5+h-5}{h(\sqrt{5+h}+\sqrt{5})} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5+h}+\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{6. a. } P(1, 3), Q(1+h, f(1+h)), f(x) &= 3x^2 \\ m &= \frac{3(1+h)^2 - 3}{h} \\ &= 6 + 3h \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b. } R(1, 3), S(1+h, (1+h)^3 + 2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{(1+h)^3 + 2 - 3}{h} \\ &= \frac{1 + 3h + 3h^2 + h^3 - 1}{h} \\ &= 3 + 3h + h^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c. } T(9, 3), U(9+h, \sqrt{9+h})$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{\sqrt{9+h} - 3}{h} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{9+h} + 3}{\sqrt{9+h} + 3} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{9+h} + 3} \end{aligned}$$

7. a.

P	Q	Slope
(2, 8)	(3, 27)	19
	(2.5, 15.625)	15.25
	(2.1, 9.261)	12.61
	(2.01, 8.120601)	12.0601
	(1, 1)	7
	(1.5, 3.375)	9.25
	(1.9, 6.859)	11.41
↓	(1.99, 7.880599)	11.9401

$$\text{8. a. } y = 3x^2, (-2, 12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(-2+h)^2 - 12}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{12 - 12h + 3h^2 - 12}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-12 + 3h) \\ &= -12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b. } y = x^2 - x \text{ at } x = 3, y = 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3+h)^2 - (3+h) - 6}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{9 + 6h + h^2 - 3 - h - 6}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (5 + h) \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c. } y = x^3 \text{ at } x = -2, y = -8$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-2+h)^3 + 8}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-8 + 12h - 6h^2 + h^3 + 8}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (12 - 6h + h^2) \\ &= 12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{9. a. } y = \sqrt{x-2}; (3, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{3+h-2} - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+h} - 1}{h} \times \frac{\sqrt{1+h} + 1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b. } y = \sqrt{x-5} \text{ at } x = 9, y = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{9+h-5} - 2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+h} - 2}{h} \times \frac{\sqrt{4+h} + 2}{\sqrt{4+h} + 2} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+h} + 2} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

c. $y = \sqrt{5x-1}$ at $x=2$, $y=3$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{10+5h-1}-3}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{9+5h}-3}{h} \times \frac{\sqrt{9+5h}+3}{\sqrt{9+5h}+3} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5}{\sqrt{9+5h}+3} \\ &= \frac{5}{6} \end{aligned}$$

10. a. $y = \frac{8}{x}$ at $(2, 4)$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{|x-5|}{x-5} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{8}{2+h}-4}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4}{2+h} \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

b. $y = \frac{8}{3+x}$ at $x=1$; $y=2$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{8}{4+h}-2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2}{4+h} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

c. $y = \frac{1}{x+2}$ at $x=3$; $y=\frac{1}{5}$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{5+h}-\frac{1}{5}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{5(5+h)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{10} \end{aligned}$$

11. a. $y = x^2 - 3x$, $(2, -2)$; $y' = 2x - 3$, $m = 1$

b. $f(x)(-2), -2$; $= \frac{4}{x}$, $y' = -\frac{4}{x^2}$, $m = -1$

c. $y = 3x^3$ at $x=1$; $y' = 9x^2$, $m = 9$

d. $y = \sqrt{x-7}$ at $x=16$; $y' = \frac{1}{2}(x-7)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$, $m = \frac{1}{6}$

e. $f(x) = \sqrt{16-x}$, $y=5$; $x=-9$, $y' = 1 - \frac{1}{2}(16-x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$,
 $m = -\frac{1}{10}$

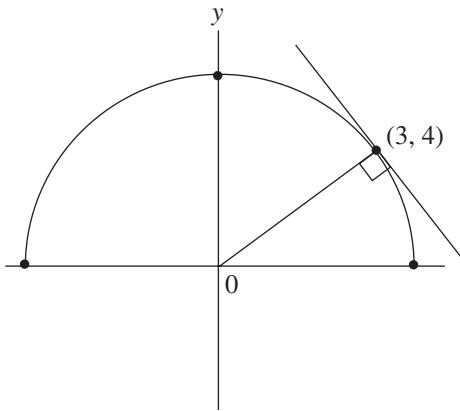
f. $y = \sqrt{25-x^2}$, $(3, 4)$; $y' = \frac{1-2x}{2\sqrt{25-x^2}}$, $m = -\frac{3}{4}$

g. $y = \frac{4+x}{x-2}$ at $x=8$; $y=2$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{12+h}{6+h}-2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h(6+h)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

h. $y = \frac{8}{\sqrt{x+11}}$ at $x=5$; $y=2$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{8}{\sqrt{16+h}}-2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{8-2\sqrt{16+h}}{h\sqrt{16+h}} \times \frac{4+\sqrt{16+h}}{4+\sqrt{16+h}} \\ &= 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{16-16-h}{h\sqrt{16+h}(4+\sqrt{16+h})} \\ &= 2 \cdot \frac{-1}{4(8)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{16} \end{aligned}$$



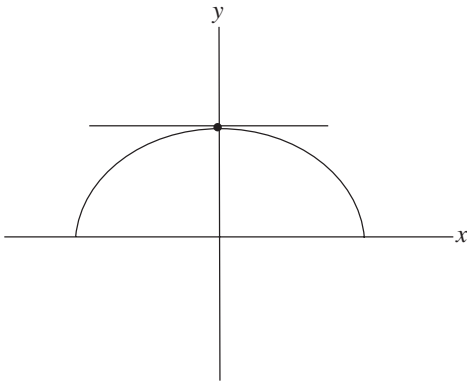
$y = \sqrt{25 - x^2} \rightarrow$ Semi-circle centre $(0, 0)$ rad 5, $y \geq 0$
 OA is a radius.

The slope of OA is $\frac{4}{3}$.

The slope of the tangent is $-\frac{3}{4}$.

13. Take values of x close to the point, then determine $\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$.

14.



Since the tangent is horizontal, the slope is 0.

16. $D(p) = \frac{20}{\sqrt{p-1}}$, $p > 1$ at $(5, 10)$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{20}{\sqrt{4+h}} - 10}{h} \\ &= 10 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - \sqrt{4+h}}{h\sqrt{4+h}} \times \frac{2 + \sqrt{4+h}}{2 + \sqrt{4+h}} \\ &= 10 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 - 4 - h}{h\sqrt{4+h}(2 + \sqrt{4+h})} \\ &= -\frac{10}{8} \\ &= -\frac{5}{4} \end{aligned}$$

12.

17. $C(t) = 100t^2 + 400t + 5000$

Slope at $t = 6$.

$$C'(t) = 200t + 400$$

$$C'(6) = 1200 + 400 = 1600$$

Increasing at a rate of 1600 papers per month.

18. Point on $f(x) = 3x^2 - 4x$ tangent parallel to $y = 8x$.
 Therefore, tangent line has slope 8.

$$\therefore m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(h+a)^2 - 4(h+a) - 3(a^2 + 4a)}{h} = 8$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3h^2 + 6ah - 4h}{h} = 8$$

$$\therefore 6a - 4 = 8$$

$$a = 2$$

The point has coordinates $(2, 4)$.

19. $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 5x - \frac{4}{x}$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{3}(a+h)^3 - \frac{1}{3}a^3 \\ &= a^2h + ah^2 + \frac{1}{3}h^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(a^2 + ah + \frac{1}{3}h^2 \right) = a^2$$

$$5 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h) - (-a)}{h} = -5$$

$$-\frac{4}{a+h} + \frac{4}{a} = -\frac{4a+4a+4h}{a(a+h)}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4}{a(a+h)} = \frac{4}{a^2}$$

$$m = a^2 - 5 + \frac{4}{a^2} = 0$$

$$a^4 - 5a^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$(a^2 - 4)(a^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$a = \pm 2, a = \pm 1$$

Points on the graph for horizontal tangents are:

$$\left(-2, \frac{28}{3}\right), \left(-1, \frac{26}{3}\right), \left(1, -\frac{26}{3}\right), \left(2, -\frac{28}{3}\right).$$

20. $y = x^2$ and $y = \frac{1}{2} - x^2$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2} - x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

The points of intersection are

$$P\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}\right), Q\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}\right).$$

Tangent to $y = x^2$:

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h)^2 - a^2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2ah + h^2}{h} \\ &= 2a \end{aligned}$$

The slope of the tangent at $a = \frac{1}{2}$ is $1 = m_p$,

at $a = -\frac{1}{2}$ is $-1 = m_q$.

Tangents to $y = \frac{1}{2} - x^2$:

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left[\frac{1}{2} - (a+h)^2\right] - \left[\frac{1}{2} - a^2\right]}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2ah - h^2}{h} \\ &= -2a. \end{aligned}$$

The slope of the tangents at $a = \frac{1}{2}$ is $-1 = M_p$;

at $a = -\frac{1}{2}$ is $1 = M_q$

$$m_p M_p = -1 \text{ and } m_q M_q = -1$$

Therefore, the tangents are perpendicular at the points of intersection.

Exercise 3.2

2. a. $\frac{s(9) - s(2)}{7}$. Slope of the secant between the

points $(2, s(2))$ and $(9, s(9))$.

b. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{s(6+h) - s(6)}{h}$. Slope of the tangent at the

point $(6, s(6))$.

3. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+h} - 2}{h}$. Slope of the tangent to the function

with equation $y = \sqrt{x}$ at the point $(4, 2)$.

7. $s(t) = 5t^2, 0 \leq t \leq 8$

a. Average velocity during the first second:

$$\frac{s(1) - s(0)}{1} = 5 \text{ m/s;}$$

third second:

$$\frac{s(3) - s(2)}{1} = \frac{45 - 20}{1} = 25 \text{ m/s;}$$

eighth second:

$$\frac{s(8) - s(7)}{1} = \frac{320 - 245}{1} = 75 \text{ m/s.}$$

b. Average velocity $3 \leq t \leq 8$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s(8) - s(3)}{8 - 3} &= \frac{320 - 45}{5} \\ &= \frac{275}{5} \\ &= 55 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

c. $s(t) = 320 - 5t^2$

$$\begin{aligned} v(t) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-5(2+h)^2 + 5(2)^2}{h} \\ &= 5 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4h + h^2}{h} \\ &= -20 \end{aligned}$$

Velocity at $t = 2$ is 20 m/s downward.

8. $s(t) = 8t(t + 2), 0 \leq t \leq 5$

$s(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} t - \text{hours}$

a. i) from $t = 3$ to $t = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Average velocity} &= \frac{s(4) - s(3)}{1} \\ &= 32(6) - 24(5) \\ &= 24(8 - 5) \\ &= 72 \text{ km/h} \end{aligned}$$

ii) from $t = 3$ to $t = 3.1$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{s(3.1) - s(3)}{0.1} \\ &= \frac{126.48 - 120}{0.1} \\ &= 64.8 \text{ km/h} \end{aligned}$$

iii) $3 \leq t \leq 3.01$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{s(3.01) - s(3)}{0.01} \\ &= 64.08 \text{ km/h} \end{aligned}$$

b. Instantaneous velocity is approximately 64 km/h.

c. At $t = 3$.

$$\begin{aligned} s(t) &= 8t^2 + 16t \\ v(t) &= 16t + 16 \\ v(3) &= 48 + 16 \\ &= 64 \text{ km/h} \end{aligned}$$

9. a. $N(t) = 20t - t^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{N(3) - N(2)}{1} \\ &= \frac{51 - 36}{1} \\ &= 15 \end{aligned}$$

15 terms are learned between $t = 2$ and $t = 3$.

b. $N'(t) = 20 - 2t$

$N'(2) = 20 - 4 = 16$

At $t = 2$, the student is learning at a rate of 16 terms/hour.

10. a. M in mg in 1 mL of blood t hours after the injection.

$$M(t) = -\frac{1}{3}t^2 + t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 3$$

$$M(t) = -\frac{2}{3}t + 1$$

$$M(2) = -\frac{4}{3} + 1 = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Rate of change is $-\frac{1}{3}$ mg/h.

b. Amount of medicine in 1 mL of blood is being dissipated throughout the system.

11. $t = \sqrt{\frac{s}{5}}$

$$\begin{aligned} t' &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{s}{5} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \cdot \left(\sqrt{\frac{s}{5}} \right)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$s = 125, \quad t' = \frac{1}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{50}$$

At $s = 125$, rate of change of time with respect to

height is $\frac{1}{50}$ s/m.

12. $T(h) = \frac{60}{h + 2}$

$$\begin{aligned} T'(h) &= -(60)(h + 2)^{-2} \\ &= -\frac{60}{(h + 2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T'(3) &= -\frac{60}{25} \\ &= -\frac{12}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Temperature is decreasing at $\frac{12}{5}^\circ \text{C/km}$.

13. $h = 25t^2 - 100t + 100$

$$h'(t) = 50t - 100$$

When $h = 0$, $25t^2 - 100t + 100 = 0$

$$t^2 - 4t + 4 = 0$$

$$(t - 2)^2 = 0$$

$$t = 2.$$

$$h'(2) = 0$$

It hit the ground in 2 s at a speed of 0 m/s.

14. Sale of x balls per week:

$$P(x) = 160x - x^2 \text{ dollars.}$$

a. $P(40) = 160(40) - (40)^2$
 $= 4800$

Profit on the sale of 40 balls is \$4800.

b. $P'(x) = 160 - 2x$

$$P'(40) = 160 - 80$$

$$= 80$$

Rate of change of profit is \$80 per ball.

c. $160 - 2x > 0$

$$-2x > 160$$

$$x < 80$$

Rate of change of profit is positive when the sales level is less than 80.

15. a. $f(x) = -x^2 + 2x + 3; (-2, -5)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{f(x) - f(-2)}{x + 2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{-x^2 + 2x + 3 + 5}{x + 2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{-(x^2 - 2x - 8)}{x + 2}$$

$$= - \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{(x - 4)(x + 2)}{x + 2}$$

$$= - \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} (x - 4)$$

$$= 6$$

b. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x-1}, x = 2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\frac{x}{x-1} - 2}{x - 2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x - 2x + 2}{(x-1)(x-2)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{-(x-2)}{(x-1)(x-2)}$$

$$= -1$$

c. $f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}, x = 24$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 24} \frac{f(x) - f(24)}{x - 24}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 24} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 5}{x - 24} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+1} + 5}{\sqrt{x+1} + 5}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 24} \frac{x - 24}{(x - 24)(\sqrt{x+1} + 5)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10}$$

17. $C(x) = F + V(x)$

$$C(x+h) = F + V(x+h)$$

Rate of change of cost is

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow R} \frac{C(x+h) - C(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow R} \frac{V(x+h) - V(x)}{h} h,$$

which is independent of F – (fixed costs).

18. $P(r) = \pi r^2$

Rate of change of area is

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(r+h) - A(r)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\pi(r+h)^2 - \pi r^2}{h}$$

$$= \pi \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(r+h-r)(r+h+r)}{h}$$

$$= 2\pi r$$

$$r = 100 \text{ m}$$

Rate is $200\pi \text{ m}^2/\text{m}$.

19. Cube of dimension x by x by x has volume $V = x^3$.
Surface area is $6x^2$.

$$V'(x) = 3x^2 = \frac{1}{2} \text{ surface area.}$$

Exercise 3.3

13. $f(x) = mx + b$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = -2 \quad \therefore m + b = -2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) = 4 \quad \therefore -m + b = 4$$

$$2b = 2$$

$$b = 1, \quad m = -3$$

14. $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c, \quad a \neq 0$

$$f(0) = 0 \quad \therefore c = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 5 \quad \therefore a + b = 5$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = 8 \quad \therefore 4a - 2b = 8$$

$$6a = 18$$

$$a = 3, \quad b = 2$$

Therefore, the values are $a = 3$, $b = 2$, and $c = 0$.

Exercise 3.4

$$\begin{aligned} 7. \quad \text{a.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{4 - x^2}{2 - x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(2 - x)(2 + x)}{(2 - x)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (2 + x) \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{4 - x^2}{2 + x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{(2 - x)(2 + x)}{(2 + x)} \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{7x - x^2}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(7 - x)}{x} = 7$$

$$\text{d.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{2x^2 + 5x + 3}{x + 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(x + 1)(2x + 3)}{x + 1} = 5$$

$$\text{e.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\frac{4}{3}} \frac{3x^2 + x - 4}{3x + 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\frac{4}{3}} \frac{(3x + 4)(x - 1)}{3x + 4} = -\frac{7}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^3 - 27}{x - 3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x - 3)(x^2 + 3x + 9)}{x - 3} \\ &= 9 + 9 + 9 = 27 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{g.} \quad x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x - 8 &= x^2(x + 2) - 4(x + 2) \\ &= (x - 2)(x + 2)(x + 2) \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x - 8}{x + 2} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{(x - 2)(x + 2)(x + 2)}{(x + 2)} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{h.} \quad 2x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x - 2 &= (x - 2)(2x^2 - x + 1) \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x - 2}{2(x - 2)} &= \frac{7}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 1}{x} \times \frac{\sqrt{x+1} + 1}{\sqrt{x+1} + 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1} + 1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{j.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - \sqrt{4+x}}{x} \times \frac{2 + \sqrt{4+x}}{2 + \sqrt{4+x}} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{2 + \sqrt{4+x}} = -\frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{k.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 2}{x - 4} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 2}{(\sqrt{x} - 2)(\sqrt{x} + 2)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{l.} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{7-x} - \sqrt{7+x}}{x} \times \frac{\sqrt{7-x} + \sqrt{7+x}}{\sqrt{7-x} + \sqrt{7+x}} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{7 - x - 7 - x}{x(\sqrt{7-x} + \sqrt{7+x})} \\ = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{m. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{5-x} - \sqrt{3+x}}{x-1} &\times \frac{\sqrt{5-x} + \sqrt{3+x}}{\sqrt{5-x} + \sqrt{3+x}} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{5-x-3-x}{(x-1)(\sqrt{5-x} + \sqrt{3+x})} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-2(x-1)}{(x-1)(\sqrt{5-x} + \sqrt{3+x})} \\
 &= -\frac{2}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{n. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{2-\sqrt{x}}{3-\sqrt{2x+1}} &\bullet \frac{3+\sqrt{2x+1}}{3+\sqrt{2x+1}} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{(2-\sqrt{x})(3+\sqrt{2x+1})}{9-2x-1} \bullet \frac{2+\sqrt{x}}{2+\sqrt{x}} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{(2-x)(3+\sqrt{2x+1})}{4(2-x)(2+\sqrt{x})} \\
 &= \frac{6}{16} \\
 &= \frac{3}{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{o. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^{2x} - 2^x}{2^x - 1} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x(2^x - 1)}{2^x - 1} \\
 &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 8. \text{ a. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 8} \frac{\sqrt[3]{x} - 2}{x - 8} \\
 \text{Let } u = \sqrt[3]{x}. \text{ Therefore, } u^3 = x \text{ as } x \rightarrow 8, \\
 u \rightarrow 2. \\
 \text{Here, } \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{u-2}{u^3-8} &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{u^2+2u+4} \\
 &= \frac{1}{12}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 27} \frac{27-x}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}-3} \quad &\text{Let } x^{\frac{1}{3}} = u \\
 &x = u^3 \\
 &x \rightarrow 27, u \rightarrow 3. \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 3} \frac{u^3 - 27}{u - 3} \\
 &= -\lim_{u \rightarrow 3} \frac{(u-3)(u^2+3u+9)}{u-3} \\
 &= -(9+9+9) \\
 &= -27
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^{\frac{1}{6}} - 1}{x - 1} \quad &x^{\frac{1}{6}} = u, \quad x = u^6 \\
 &x \rightarrow 1, \quad u \rightarrow 1 \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 1} \frac{u-1}{u^6-1} \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 1} \frac{(u-1)}{(u-1)(u^5+u^4+u^3+u^2+u+1)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{d. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^{\frac{1}{6}} - 1}{x^{\frac{1}{3}} - 1} \quad &\text{Let } x^{\frac{1}{6}} = u \\
 &u^6 = x \\
 &x^{\frac{1}{3}} = u^2 \\
 &\text{As } x \rightarrow 1, \quad u \rightarrow 1 \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 1} \frac{u-1}{(u-1)(u+1)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{e. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 2}{\sqrt{x^3} - 8} \quad &\text{Let } x^{\frac{1}{2}} = u \\
 &x^{\frac{3}{2}} = u^3 \\
 &x \rightarrow 4, \quad u \rightarrow 2. \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{u-2}{u^3-8} \\
 &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{u-2}{(u-2)(u^2+2u+4)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{12}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 2}{x} \\ &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{u - 2}{u^3 - 8} \\ &= \frac{1}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } (x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}} &= u \\ x+8 &= u^3 \\ x &= u^3 - 8 \\ x \rightarrow 0, u &\rightarrow 2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 9. \text{ c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 5x + 3}{x^2 - 2x + 1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(x-1)(x+3)}{(x-1)(x-1)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x+3) = 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d. } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^2 + x}{x+1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} x \frac{x(x+1)}{x+1} \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{e. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 6^+} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 5x - 6}}{x - 3} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 1}{x} \\ &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 1} \frac{2(u-1)}{u^3 - 1} \\ &= \lim_{u \rightarrow 1} \frac{2}{u^2 + u + 1} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } (2x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}} &= u \\ 2x+1 &= u^3 \\ x &= \frac{u^3 - 1}{2} \\ x \rightarrow 0, u &\rightarrow 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{g. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+2)}{2-x} \bullet 2x \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} -2x(x+2) \\ &= -16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{h. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 2}{x-3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 2}{(x+1) - 4} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 2}{(\sqrt{x+1} - 2)(\sqrt{x+1} + 2)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1} + 2} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - 9x}{5x^3 + 6x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x-9}{5x^2 + 6} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{j. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 1}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 1}{x+1-1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 1}{(\sqrt{x+1} - 1)(\sqrt{x+1} + 1)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

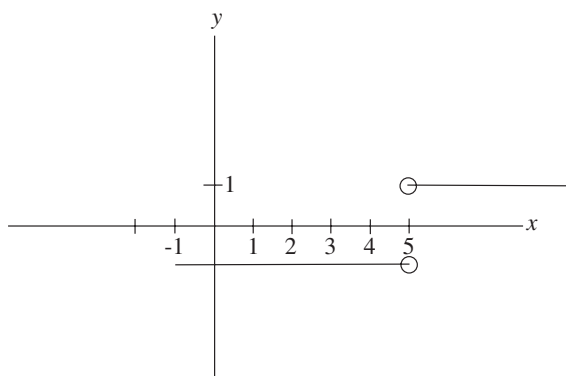
$$\begin{aligned} \text{k. } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - x^2}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2}{h} \\ &= 2x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{l. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1}{x-1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{x+3} - \frac{2}{3x+5} \right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1}{x-1} \right) \left(\frac{3x+5-2x-6}{(x+3)(3x+5)} \right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{(x+3)(3x+5)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4(8)} \\ &= \frac{1}{32} \end{aligned}$$

10. a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{|x-5|}{x-5}$ does not exist.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} \frac{|x-5|}{x-5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} \frac{x-5}{x-5} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} \frac{|x-5|}{x-5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} -\left(\frac{x-5}{x-5}\right) = -1$$



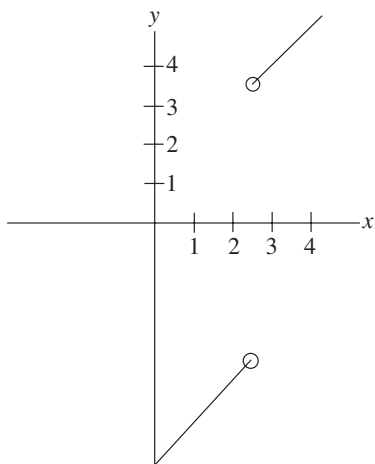
b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}} \frac{|2x-5|(x+1)}{2x-5}$ does not exist.

$$|2x-5| = 2x-5, \quad x \geq \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}^+} \frac{(2x-5)(x+1)}{2x-5} = x+1$$

$$|2x-5| = -(2x-5), \quad x < \frac{5}{2}$$

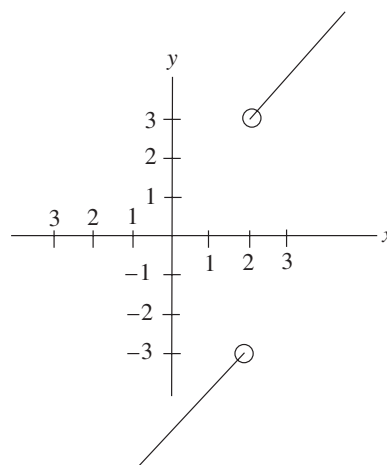
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}^-} \frac{-(2x-5)(x+1)}{2x-5} = -(x+1)$$



c. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - x - 2}{|x-2|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{|x-2|}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{|x-2|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{x-2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} x+1 = 3$$

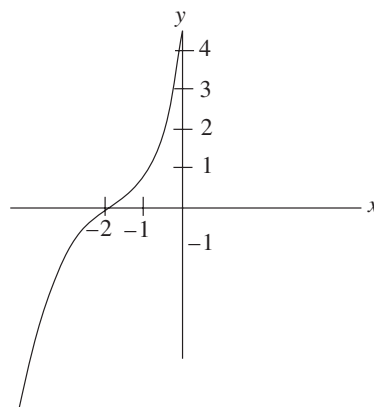
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{|x-2|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{-(x-2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} -(x+1) = -3$$



d. $|x+2| = x+2$ if $x > -2$
 $= -(x+2)$ if $x < -2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{(x+2)(x+2)^2}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} (x+2)^2 = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} \frac{(x+2)(x+2)^2}{-(x+2)} = 0$$



11. a.

ΔT	T	V	ΔV
	-40	19.1482	
20	-20	20.7908	1.6426
20	0	22.4334	1.6426
	20	24.0760	1.6426
	40	25.7186	1.6426
	60	27.3612	1.6426
	80	29.0038	1.6426

ΔV is constant, therefore T and V form a linear relationship.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } V &= \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta T} \bullet T + K \\ \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta T} &= \frac{1.6426}{20} = 0.08213 \\ V &= 0.08213T + K \\ T = 0 \quad V &= 22.4334 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $k = 22.4334$
and $V = 0.08213T + 22.4334$.

$$\text{c. } T = \frac{V - 22.4334}{0.08213}$$

$$\text{d. } \lim_{V \rightarrow 0} T = -273.145$$

$$\begin{aligned} 12. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - 4}{f(x)} &= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} (x^2 - 4)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x)} \\ &= \frac{21}{3} \\ &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$13. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = 3$$

$$\text{a. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} [f(x)]^3 = 3^3 = 27$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{[f(x)]^2 - x^2}{f(x) + x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{(f(x) - x)(f(x) + x)}{f(x) + x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} (f(x) - x) \\ &= 3 - 4 \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \sqrt{3f(x) - 2x} &= \sqrt{3 \times 3 - 2 \times 4} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$14. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 1$$

$$\text{a. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{x} \times x = 0$$

$$\text{b. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{g(x)} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 0$$

$$15. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x)}{x} = 2$$

$$\text{a. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \left(\frac{f(x)}{x} \right) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \left(\frac{g(x)}{x} \right) = 0 \times 2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{f(x)}{x}}{\frac{g(x)}{x}} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

16.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{2x+1}}{\sqrt{3x+4} - \sqrt{2x+4}} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{2x+1}}{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{2x+1}} \times \frac{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{2x+1}}{\sqrt{3x+4} - \sqrt{2x+4}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3x+4} + \sqrt{2x+4}}{\sqrt{3x+4} + \sqrt{2x+4}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+1-2x-1)}{(3x+4-2x-4)} \times \frac{\sqrt{3x+4} + \sqrt{2x+4}}{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{2x+1}} \\ &= \frac{2+2}{1+1} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 + |x-1| - 1}{|x-1|}$$

$$x \rightarrow 1^+ \quad |x-1| = x-1$$

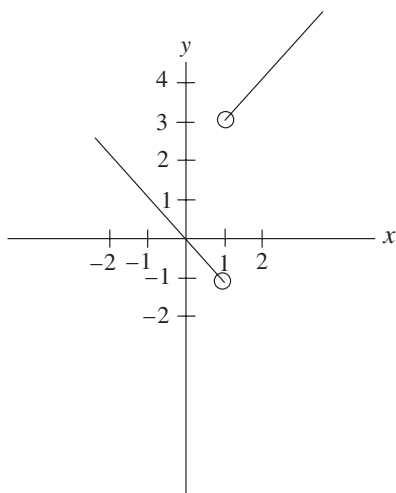
$$\therefore \frac{x^2 + x - 2}{x-1} = \frac{(x+2)(x-1)}{x-1}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{x^2 + |x-1| - 1}{|x-1|} = 3$$

$$x \rightarrow 1^- \quad |x-1| = -x+1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{x^2 - x}{-x+1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{x(x-1)}{-x+1} = -1$$

Therefore, this function does not exist.



$$18. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 + bx - 3}{x-1}$$

$$x^2 + bx - 3 = (x-1)(x+3) \\ = x^2 + 2x - 3$$

$$b = 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x+3) = 4$$

Exists for $b = 2$.

$$19. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{mx+b}-3}{x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{mx+b}-3)(\sqrt{mx+b}+3)}{x(\sqrt{mx+b}+3)} = 1$$

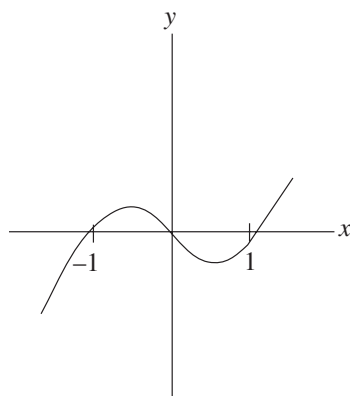
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx+b-9}{x\sqrt{mx+b}+3} = 1 \\ b = 9$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{m}{3+3} = 1 \\ \therefore m = 6$$

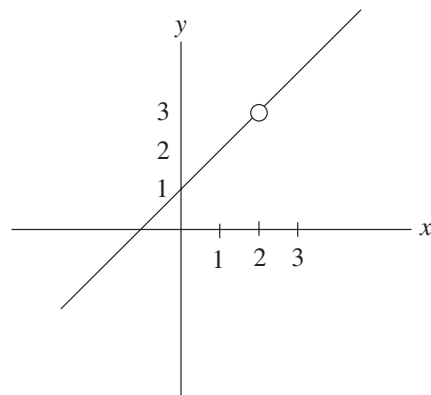
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6x}{x\sqrt{6x+9}+3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6}{\sqrt{6x+9}+3} = 1 \\ m = 6, b = 9$$

Section 3.5

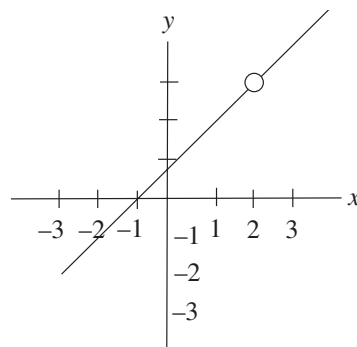
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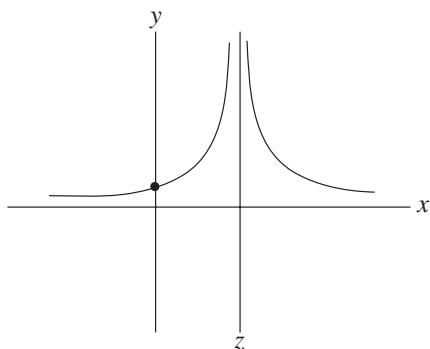
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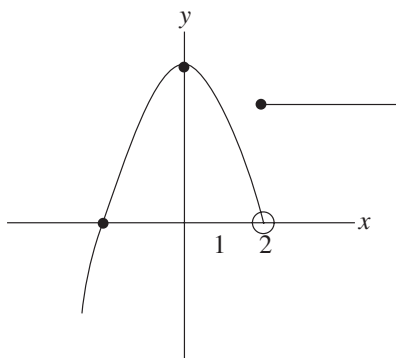
c.



d.



e.



2. a. and c. are continuous. b. contains a hole. e. has a jump. d. has a vertical asymptote.

3. Window may be too small.

4. Not defined when $x^2 + 300x = 0$
or $x(x + 300) = 0$.

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = -300$$

Continuous for $x < -300$

$$-300 < x < 0$$

$$x > 0$$

Exercise 3.5

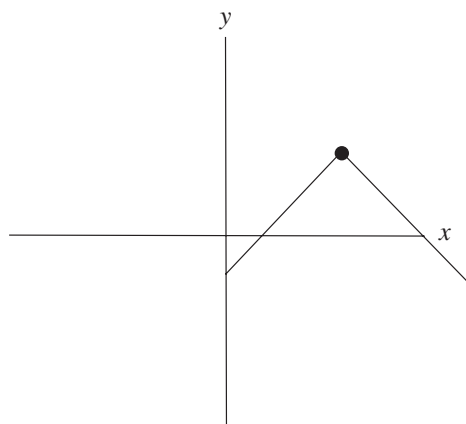
4. e. Discontinuous when

$$x^2 + x - 6 = 0$$

$$(x + 3)(x - 2) = 0$$

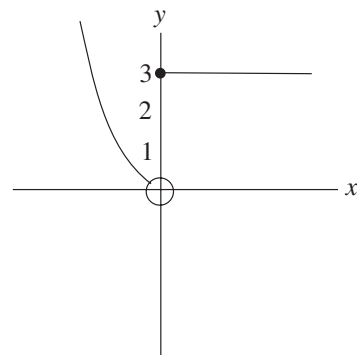
$$x = -3 \text{ or } x = 2.$$

7.



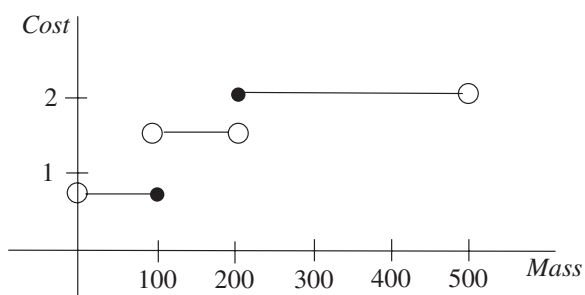
Continuous everywhere.

8.



Discontinuous.

9.

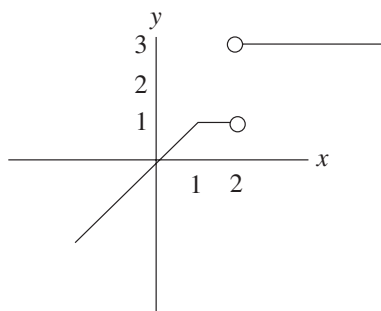


Discontinuous at 0, 100, 200, and 500.

$$\begin{aligned} 10. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{x - 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x - 3)(x + 2)}{x - 3} \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

Function is discontinuous at $x = 3$.

11.

Discontinuous at $x = 3.0$

$$12. \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} x+3, & x \neq 3 \\ 2+\sqrt{k}, & x = 3 \end{cases}$$

 $g(x)$ is continuous.

$$\therefore 2 + \sqrt{k} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{k} = 4, \quad k = 16$$

$$13. \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & -3 \leq x \leq -2 \\ ax^2 + b, & -2 < x < 0 \\ 6, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{at } x = -2, \quad 4a + b = 2$$

$$\text{at } x = 0, \quad b = 6$$

$$\therefore a = -1$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & -3 \leq x \leq -2 \\ -x^2 + b, & -2 < x < 0 \\ 6, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

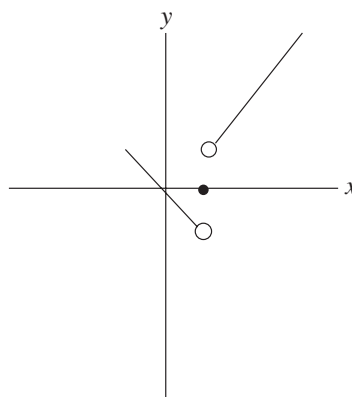
If $a = -1$, $b = 6$. $f(x)$ is continuous.

$$14. \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x|x-1|}{x-1}, & x \neq 1 \\ 0, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{a. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(x) = -1 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = 1 \end{array} \right. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$$

 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$ does not exist.

b.

**Review Exercise**

$$2. \quad \text{a. } f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1}, \quad P(2, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{3}{3+h} - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{1}{3+h} \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b. } g(x) = \sqrt{x+2}, \quad x = -1$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{-1+h+2} - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{h+1} - 1}{h} \times \frac{\sqrt{h+1} + 1}{\sqrt{h+1} + 1} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{h+1} + 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c. } h(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{x+5}}, \quad x = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{4+h+5}} - \frac{2}{3}}{h} \\ &= 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 - \sqrt{9+h}}{3h\sqrt{9+h}} \times \frac{3 + \sqrt{9+h}}{3 + \sqrt{9+h}} \\ &= 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{1}{3\sqrt{9+h}(3 + \sqrt{9+h})} \\ &= -\frac{2}{9(6)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{27} \end{aligned}$$

d. $f(x) = \frac{5}{x-2}, x=4$

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{5}{4+h-2} - \frac{5}{2}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{10 - 5(2+h)}{h(2+h)(2)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-5h}{h(2+h)(2)}$$

$$= -\frac{5}{4}$$

3. $f(x) = \begin{cases} 4 - x^2, & x \leq 1 \\ 2x + 1, & x > 1 \end{cases}$

a. Slope at $(-1, 3)$ $f(x) = 4 - x^2$

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 - (-1+h)^2 - 3}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 - 1 + 2h - h^2 - 3}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2 - h)$$

$$= 2$$

Slope of the graph at $P(-1, 3)$ is 2.

b. Slope at $P(2, 0.5)$

$$\therefore f(x) = 2x + 1$$

$$f(2+h) - f(2) = 2(2+h) + 1 - 5 \\ = 2h$$

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h}{h} = 2$$

Slope of the graph at $P(2, 0.5)$ is 2.

4. $s(t) = -5t^2 + 180$

a. $s(0) = 180, s(1) = 175, s(2) = 160$

Average velocity during the first second is

$$\frac{s(1) - s(0)}{1} = -5 \text{ m/s.}$$

Average velocity during the second second is

$$\frac{s(2) - s(1)}{1} = -15 \text{ m/s.}$$

b. At $t = 4$:

$$s(4+h) - s(4) \\ = -5(4+h)^2 + 180 - (-5(16) + 180) \\ = -80 - 40h - 5h^2 + 180 + 80 - 180$$

$$\frac{s(4+h) - s(4)}{h} = \frac{-40h - 5h^2}{h}$$

$$v(4) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-40 - 5h) = -40$$

Velocity is at -40 m/s.

c. Time to reach ground is when $s(t) = 0$.

$$\text{Therefore, } -5t^2 + 180 = 0$$

$$t^2 = 36$$

$$t = 6, t > 0.$$

Velocity at $t = 6$:

$$s(6+h) = -5(36 + 12h + h^2) + 180 \\ = -60h - 5h^2$$

$$s(6) = 0$$

$$\text{Therefore, } v(6) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-60 - 5h) = -60.$$

5. $M(t) = t^2$ mass in grams

a. Growth during $3 \leq t \leq 3.01$

$$M(3.01) = (3.01)^2 = 9.0601$$

$$M(3) = 3^2 = 9$$

Grew 0.0601g during this time interval.

b. Average rate of growth is

$$\frac{0.0601}{0.01} = 6.01 \text{ g/s.}$$

c. $s(3+h) = 9 + 6h + h^2$

$$s(3) = 9$$

$$\frac{s(3+h) - s(3)}{h} = \frac{6h + h^2}{h}$$

$$\text{Rate of growth is } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (6 + h) = 6 \text{ g/s.}$$

6. $Q(t) = 10^4(t^2 + 15t + 70)$ tonnes of waste, $0 \leq t \leq 10$

a. At $t = 0$,

$$Q(t) = 70 \times 10^4$$

$$= 700\,000.$$

700 000 t have accumulated up to now.

- b. Over the next three years, the average rate of change:

$$\begin{aligned} Q(3) &= 10^4(9 + 45 + 70) \\ &= 124 \times 10^4 \\ Q(0) &= 70 \times 10^4 \\ \frac{Q(3) - Q(0)}{3} &= \frac{5^4 \times 16^4}{3} \\ &= 18 \times 10^4 \text{ t per year.} \end{aligned}$$

- c. Present rate of change:

$$\begin{aligned} Q(h) &= 10^4(h^2 + 15h + 70) \\ Q(0) &= 10^4 + 70 \\ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{Q(h) - Q(0)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 10^4(h + 15) \\ &= 15 \times 10^4 \text{ t per year.} \end{aligned}$$

- d. $Q(a+h) = 10^4[a^2 + 2ah + h^2 + 15a + 15h + 70]$

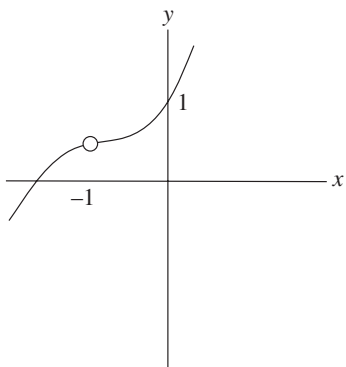
$$\begin{aligned} Q(a) &= 10^4[a^2 + 15a + 70] \\ \frac{Q(a+h) - Q(a)}{h} &= \frac{10^4[2ah + h^2 + 15h]}{h} \\ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{Q(a+h) - Q(a)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 10^4(2a + h + 15) \\ &= (2a + 15)10^4 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (2a + 15)10^4 &= 3 \times 10^5 \\ 2a + 15 &= 30 \\ a &= 7.5. \end{aligned}$$

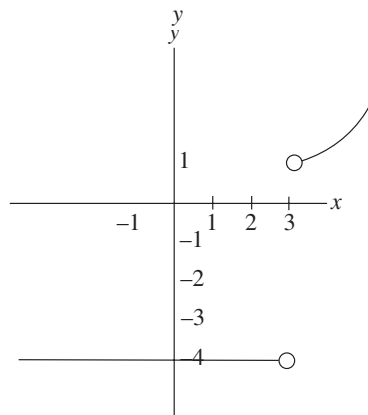
It will take 7.5 years to reach a rate of 3.0×10^5 t per year.

8. a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) = 0.5$, f is discontinuous at $x = -1$.



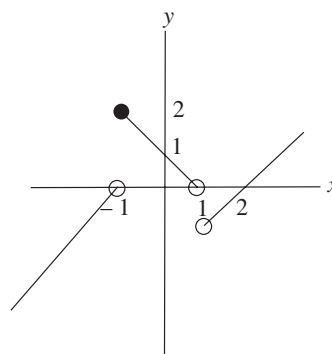
- b. $f(x) = -4$ if $x < 3$; f is increasing for $x > 3$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = 1$$



$$9. f(x) = \begin{cases} x+1, & x < -1 \\ -x+1, & -1 \leq x < 1 \\ x-2, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

a.



Discontinuous at $x = -1$ and $x = 1$.

- b. They do not exist.

$$\begin{aligned} 10. f(x) &= \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{x - 3} \\ &= \frac{(x-3)(x+2)}{(x-3)} \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (x+2) \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$f(x)$ is not continuous at $x = 3$.

$$11. \quad f(x) = \frac{2x-2}{x^2+x-2}$$

$$= \frac{2(x-1)}{(x-1)(x+2)}$$

a. f is discontinuous at $x=1$ and $x=-2$.

$$b. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{2}{x+2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x): \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{2}{x+2} = +\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} \frac{2}{x+2} = -\infty$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x)$ does not exist.

$$12. \quad a. \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) \text{ does not exist.}$$

$$b. \quad g(x) = x(x-5), \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = 0$$

$$c. \quad h(x) = \frac{x^3 - 27}{x^2 - 9},$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} h(x) = \frac{37}{7} = 5.2857$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} h(x)$ does not exist.

$$15. \quad a. \quad f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x+2} - 2}{x-2}$$

x	2.1	2.01	2.001
$f(x)$	0.24846	0.24984	0.24998

$$x = 2.0001$$

$$f(x) = 0.25$$

$$b. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 0.25$$

$$c. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\sqrt{x+2} - 2}{x-2} \times \frac{\sqrt{x+2} + 2}{\sqrt{x+2} + 2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2} + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

$$16. \quad a. \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(5+h)^2 - 25}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (10+h)$$

$$= 10.$$

Slope of the tangent to $y = x^2$ at $x = 5$ is 10.

$$b. \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+h} - 2}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+h} - 2}{4+h-4}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+h} + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}$$

Slope of the tangent to $y = \sqrt{x}$ at $x = 4$ is $\frac{1}{4}$.

$$c. \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{4+h} - \frac{1}{4}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4-4h}{4(4+h)(h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{1}{4(4+h)}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16}$$

Slope of the tangent to $y = \frac{1}{x}$ at $(x=4)$ is $-\frac{1}{16}$.

$$d. \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(343+h)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 7}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(343+h)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 7}{343+h-343}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(343+h)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 7}{\left((343+h)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 7\right)\left((343+h)^{\frac{2}{3}} + 7(343+h)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 49\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{49+49+49}$$

$$= \frac{1}{147}$$

Slope of the tangent to $y = x^{\frac{1}{3}}$ at $x = 343$ is $\frac{1}{147}$.

$$17. \quad h. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x+4a)^2 - 25a^2}{x-a} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x-a)(x+9a)}{x-a}$$

$$= 10a$$

$$\text{o. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+5} - \sqrt{5-x}}{x} \times \frac{\sqrt{x+5} + \sqrt{5-x}}{\sqrt{x+5} + \sqrt{5-x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+5-5+x}{x(\sqrt{x+5} + \sqrt{5-x})}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\text{q. } \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 12}{x+2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{(x+2)(x^2 - 1x - 6)}{(x+2)}$$

$$= 4 + 2 - 6$$

$$= 0$$

$$\text{r. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 12}{x-2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x^2 + 3x + 6)}{x-2}$$

$$= 4 + 6 + 6$$

$$= 16$$

$$\text{t. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2+x} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \times -\frac{x}{2(2+x)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -\frac{1}{2(2+x)}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{u. } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{108(x^2 + 2x)(x+1)(x+1)(x+1)}{(x+1)^3(x^2 - x + 1)^3(x-1)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{108(x^2 + 2x)}{(x^2 - x + 1)^3(x-1)}$$

$$= -\frac{108}{27(-2)}$$

$$= 2$$

$$\text{18. d. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{x}$$

$$x \rightarrow 0^- \quad |x| = -x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x} = -1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x}$$

$$\text{e. } f(x) = \begin{cases} -5, & x < 1 \\ 2, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -5 \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2$$

$$\text{f. } f(x) = \begin{cases} 5x^2, & x < -1 \\ 2x+1, & x \geq -1 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = -1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = 5$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x)$$

Therefore, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x)$ does not exist.

Chapter 3 Test

$$\text{3. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{x-1} \text{ does not exist since}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{1}{x-1} = +\infty \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{x-1} = -\infty$$

$$\text{4. } f(x) = \frac{x}{x-3}, \quad g(x) = \frac{3}{x-3}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) \text{ does not exist.}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} g(x) \text{ does not exist.}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} [f(x) - g(x)] = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x-3}{x-3}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} 1$$

$$= 1$$

5. $f(x) = 5x^2 - 8x$
 $f(-2) = 5(4) - 8(-2) = 20 + 16 = 36$
 $f(1) = 5 - 8 = -3$

Slope of secant is $\frac{36+3}{-2-1} = -\frac{39}{3}$
 $= -13.$

6. Slope of a line perpendicular to $y = \frac{3}{4}x + 5$ is $-\frac{4}{5}.$

7. For $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x^2+100}}{5}$, y-intercept is 2.

8. Through $(0, -2)$, slope -1 ,
 $y = -x - 2$ or $x + y + 2 = 0.$

9. a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ does not exist.

b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 1$

c. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = 1$

d. f is discontinuous at $x = 1$ and $x = 2.$

10. $P = 100\,000 + 4000t$

P – population

t – years

a. $t = 20$ $P = 100\,000 + 80\,000$
 $= 180\,000$

Population in 20 years will be 180 000 people.

b. $P(a+h) - P(a)$
 $= (100\,000 + 4000(a+h)) - (100\,000 + 4000a)$
 $= 4000h$

Growth rate:

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{P(a+h) - Pa}{h} = 4000$$

Growth rate is 4000 people per year.

11. a. Average velocity from $t = 2$ to $t = 5$:

$$\frac{s(5) - s(2)}{3} = \frac{(40 - 25) - (16 - 4)}{3}$$

$$= \frac{15 - 12}{3}$$

$$= 1$$

Average velocity from $t = 2$ to $t = 5$ is 1 km/h.

b. $s(3+h) - s(3)$
 $= 8(3+h) - (3+h)^2 - (24 - 9)$
 $= 24 + 8h - 9 - 6h - h^2 - 15$
 $= 2h - h^2$

$$v(3) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h - h^2}{h} = 2$$

Velocity at $t = 3$ is 2 km/h.

12. $f(x) = \sqrt{x+11},$

Average rate of change from
 $x = 5$ to $x = 5+h$:

$$\frac{f(5+h) - f(5)}{h}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{16+h} - \sqrt{16}}{h}$$

13. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 - 15}$

Slope of the tangent at $x = 4$:

$$f(4+h) = \frac{4+h}{(4+h)^2 - 15}$$

$$= \frac{4+h}{1+8h+h^2}$$

$$f(4) = \frac{4}{1}$$

$$f(4+h) - f(4) = \frac{4+h}{1+8h+h^2} - 4$$

$$= \frac{4+h-4-32h-4h^2}{1+2h+h^2}$$

$$= -\frac{31h-4h^2}{(1+2h+h^2)}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(4+h) - f(4)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-31-4h)}{1+2h+h^2}$$

$$= -31$$

Slope of the tangent at $x = 4$ is $-31.$

14. a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{4x^2 - 36}{2x - 6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{2(x-3)(x+3)}{(x-3)}$
 $= 12$

b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2x^2 - x - 6}{3x^2 - 7x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(2x+3)(x-2)}{(x-2)(3x-1)}$
 $= \frac{7}{5}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x-5}{\sqrt{x-1}-2} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{(x-1)-4}{\sqrt{x-1}-2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{(\sqrt{x-1}-2)(\sqrt{x-1}+2)}{\sqrt{x-1}-2} \\ &= 4\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{d. } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^3+1}{x^4-1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(x+1)(x^2-x+1)}{(x-1)(x+1)(x^2+1)} \\ &= \frac{3}{-2(2)} \\ &= -\frac{3}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{e. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{6}{x^2-9} \right) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x+3)-6}{(x-3)(x+3)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{1}{x+3} \\ &= \frac{1}{6}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{f. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}}-2}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}}-2}{(x+8)-8} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}}-2}{\left((x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}}-2 \right) \left((x+8)^{\frac{2}{3}}+2(x+8)^{\frac{1}{3}}+4 \right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4+4+4} \\ &= \frac{1}{12}\end{aligned}$$

$$15. \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} ax+3, & x > 5 \\ 8, & x = 5 \\ x^2+bx+a, & x < 5 \end{cases}$$

$f(x)$ is continuous.

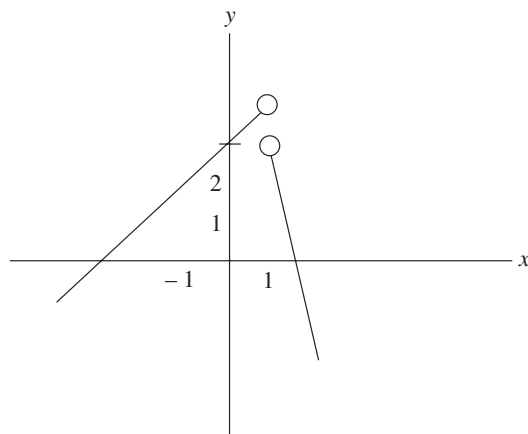
$$\begin{aligned}\text{Therefore, } 5a+3 &= 8 & a &= 1 \\ 25+5b+a &= 8 & 5b &= -18 \\ & & b &= -\frac{18}{5}\end{aligned}$$

$$16. \quad \text{a. } f(0) = 3$$

$$\text{b. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 3$$

$$\text{c. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 4$$

$$\text{d. } f(2) = -1$$



$$17. \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-2}{\sqrt{7x+2}-\sqrt{6x+4}}, & x \geq -\frac{2}{7}, x \neq 2 \\ k, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}& \frac{x-2}{\sqrt{7x+2}-\sqrt{6x+4}} \times \frac{\sqrt{7x+2}+\sqrt{6x+4}}{\sqrt{7x+2}+\sqrt{6x+4}} \\ &= \frac{(x-2)(\sqrt{7x+2}+\sqrt{6x+4})}{7x+2-6x-4} \\ &= \sqrt{7x+2}+\sqrt{6x+4}\end{aligned}$$

Now, when $x = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}k &= \sqrt{7(2)+2} + \sqrt{6(2)+4} \\ &= 4+4 \\ k &= 8.\end{aligned}$$